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PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 07040.0054-01

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Riccardo CESARINI et al. )  
Application Serial No.: 10/679,357 ) Group Art Unit: 1733  
Filed: October 7, 2003 ) Examiner: Maki, S.D.  
For: HIGH PERFORMANCE TIRE ) Confirmation No.: 3867  
FOR VEHICLES )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:


**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a five month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action of May 2, 2006 and Notice of Appeal filed November 2, 2006. A fee of \$2,160.00 is to be charged, and any additional fees required to enter the attached reply, to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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